



RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116 -  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 1654

Attorney's Docket No. 035626/234825

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Usala  
Appl. No.: 09/870,414  
Filed: May 30, 2001  
For: METHOD OF TREATING CHRONIC ULCERS

Confirmation No.: 7087  
Group No.: 1654  
Examiner: A. Gupta

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of one month to respond to the Office Action dated July 12, 2005.
2. Applicant is ☒ a small entity; ☐ other than a small entity.
3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

Total Months Requested	Fee For Other Than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> one month	\$120.00	\$60.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$450.00	\$225.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$1,020.00	\$510.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,590.00	\$795.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months*	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00

\*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

☒ A check in the amount of \$60.00 is enclosed.

☐ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.

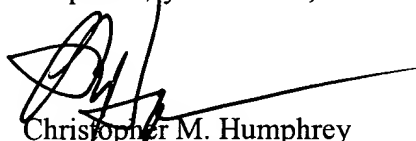
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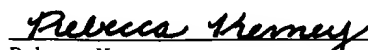
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